

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF HIGHWAY ENGINEERS
CUYAHOGA VALLEY SECTION

2011
OUTSTANDING HIGHWAY PROJECT AWARD

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A. Categories

- a. Construction cost less than \$3,000,000
- b. Construction cost greater than \$3,000,000

B. General Criteria

- a. Entries must be sponsored by a project participant (Owner, Designer or Contractor) who is a member in good standing of ASHE Cuyahoga Valley Section
- b. Project type
 - i. Any project related to the highway industry
- c. Project must be located within the following counties:
 - i. Ashland, Ashtabula, Belmont, Carroll, Columbiana, Crawford, Erie, Harrison, Holmes, Huron, Jefferson, Lorain, Mahoning, Medina, Portage, Richland, Stark, Summit, Trumbull, Tuscarawas and Wayne
- d. Project must be substantially complete after November 30, 2008 and before November 30, 2010
- e. Entries must conform to Entry Requirements
- f. ASHE Cuyahoga Valley Section will not be responsible for any damage or loss to entrant's entry materials
- g. ASHE Cuyahoga Valley Section Award Committee reserves the right to determine the eligibility of all entries

C. Entry Requirements

- a. Five (5) bound (no loose material) copies of the entry (entry form and associated narrative, photos, etc.)
- b. Provide one CD containing entry information required in e through g below.
- c. Entries must be received by an ASHE – Cuyahoga Valley Section Board of Directors member prior to December 17, 2010
- d. The sponsoring member shall verify the project was substantially complete between November 30, 2008 and November 30, 2010
- e. A narrative of the project not exceeding 750 words or one side of one page (8 ½ "x11"); Include in the narrative a discussion on how the project meets the judging criteria
- f. No more than three (3) relative construction drawings on 8 ½"x11" sheets
- g. No less than two (2) or more than five (5) photos (maximum size: 8"x10")
- h. One copy of submittal will be returned upon request

- i. Entry fee of \$25.00. Make checks payable to ASHE Cuyahoga Valley Section

D. Award

- a. Awards presented to one representative each from the owner, designer and prime contractor
- b. Plaque with name of project, owner, designer and contractor
- c. Complimentary dinner at awards luncheon in March
- d. Winning entries will be invited to make a presentation of their project at the awards luncheon
- e. Announcement of award will be published in Cuyahoga Valley Section newsletter and submitted (no guarantee to be published) to ASHE National Scanner, Akron Beacon Journal, Canton Repository and other trade publications

E. Judging

- a. Entries will be judged on the following categories:
 - i. Importance to the traveling public
 - ii. Complexity
 - iii. Innovation
 - iv. Aesthetics
- b. Each category will be rated from 1 to 10 with 10 being the best score
- c. The judging panel will be comprised of members of the Cuyahoga Valley Section not associated with the project